Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/09/02 : CIA-RDP80-00809A000700170394-5

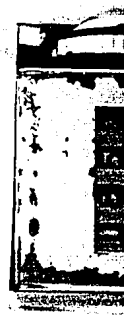
STAT

Page Denied

Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/09/02 : CIA-RDP80-00809A000700170394-5

Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/09/02 : CIA-RDP80-00809A000700170394-5

STAT



INFORMATION ON ANIMAL PRODUCTS IN EAST CHINA, AND HORSEBREEDING IN THE NORTHEAST

IMPORTANCE OF ANIMAL BY-PRODUCTS -- Ching-chi Tao-pao, No 8, 24 Mar 53

The East China output of chickens, ducks, hogs, and sheep is generally used for food, however the products of these animals -- eggs, feathers, hog bristles, casings and wool -- are more important, especially in foreign trade, than the animals are as food.

According to official statistics 54 million chickens and 15 million ducks are raised annually in East China. Export of the by-products from these fowls provides a goodly amount of foreign exchange for the national economy.

A breakdown by provinces for annual chicken egg, chicken and duck feathers, hogs, hog bristles, and wool production in East China is given below:

Chicken Egg Production (in million shih-chin)
[one shih-chin equals 1/2 kilograms]

Shantung	72
Kiangsu	32
Anhwei	17
Chekiang	16
Fukien	10
Total	149

Feather Production (in million shih chin)

Anhwei	20
Nanking	15
Shanghai	10
Northern Kiangsu	5
Chekiang	3.5
Fukien	1.5

Pig Production (in million head)

Northern Kiangsu	4.2
Shantung	3.2
Chekiang	2.0
Total	13.4

Hog Bristle Production (in pieces)

Shantung	7,000
Kiangsu	5,500
Anhwei	3,500
Chekiang	2,000
Fukien	500
Total	18,500

Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/09/02 : CIA-RDP80-00809A000700170394-5

Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/09/02 : CIA-RDP80-00809A000700170394-5

STAT

The annual production of bristles is valued at 270 million rubles [sic].

Wool Production (in piculs)

	Sheep	Goat
Shantung		
Northern Kiangsu	25,000	
Southern Kiangsu	100	1,000
Chekiang	2,000	1,000
Anhwei	[illegible],000	500
Shanghai	50	--
Total		500
	50,[illegible]50	3,000

Cloing Production (in 1,000 pieces)

Shantung	
North Kiangsu	2,000
Shanghai	2,000
Anhwei	2,500
Chekiang	1,300
South Kiangsu	1,300
Nanking	1,000
	200
Total	
	9,300

HORSES OF NORTHEAST BEING IMPROVED -- Peiping, Chung-kuo Nung-pao, No 19, 10 Oct 52

Improved techniques, including artifical insemination, have resulted in the breeding of thousands of improved type horses in the Northeast. At first the rate of conception was only 10 percent, but it has now reached an average of 30 percent, with a reported record high of 80 percent. Artificial insemination has made possible the breeding of local mares with strains of horses from other areas. Such colts are reported to be much stronger.

Experiences in the application of artificial insemination in horse breeding show that: the mares now have faith in this method, artificial insemination techniques have been improved, precautions against miscarriages have been set up, and the colts are better cared for.

Serious losses occurred in 1951, when the miscarriage rate in the Northeast was over 15 percent, and the colt mortality rate over 15 percent.

- E N D -

STAT

Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/09/02 : CIA-RDP80-00809A000700170394-5